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Additional Agenda Item No. 3a

Mountain/Desert Committee

September 19, 2008

Location:

Town of Apple Valley
14955 Dale Evans Parkway
Apple Valley, CA

DISCUSSION CALENDAR

3a. Victor Valley Subarea Measure I 2010-2040 Priorities

Approve Attachment A as the list of projects nominated by local jurisdiction for Victor Valley Subarea Major Local Highway Projects (MHLP) Measure I 2010-2040 funding, subject to further evaluation and development of a financially feasible scenario which will be incorporated into the SANBAG Measure I 2010-2040 Strategic Plan.

This item was asked to be placed on the agenda by Mike Rothschild, City of Victorville.

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Minute Action

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Subject: Victor Valley Subarea Measure I 2010-2040 Priorities

Recommendation:* Approve Attachment A as the list of projects nominated by local jurisdiction for Victor Valley Subarea Major Local Highway Projects (MHLP) Measure I 2010-2040 funding, subject to further evaluation and development of a financially feasible scenario which will be incorporated into the SANBAG Measure I 2010-2040 Strategic Plan.

Background: Representatives from jurisdictions of the Victor Valley Subarea have been meeting for the past several months to identify projects and develop funding scenarios for use of Victor Valley Subarea MHLP Measure I funding as part of the Measure I 2010-2040 Strategic Plan. Jurisdictions included in the Victor Valley Subarea include the Town of Apple Valley, the Cities of Adelanto, Hesperia and Victorville and the County of San Bernardino. Although SANBAG has not received copies of actions, we have been informed that between July 2008 and August 2008, each of the Victor Valley jurisdictions have taken the project list for approval by their respective governing bodies.

SANBAG staff continues to meet with technical staff from the jurisdictions to review project priorities, schedules and financing scenarios. As identified in past presentations to the Victor Valley Subarea and Mountain/Desert Committee, the priority projects identified by the jurisdictions (\$300 million in today's dollars) are greater than the anticipated available funds over the life of the Measure (\$270 million in today's dollars). In addition, based on initial jurisdiction anticipated

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In Favor: *Opposed:* *Abstained:*

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construction dates when compared to available financing, all the proposed projects cannot be delivered within the timeframes desired by the local jurisdictions, due to insufficient funding in the earlier years of the Measure.

SANBAG staff will continue to work with the jurisdictions to refine the project list, and the Subarea will have an opportunity to incorporate a fundable scenario into the overall SANBAG Measure I 2010-2040 Strategic Plan. The Subarea technical staff continue to meet, and a meeting of the Victor Valley Subarea elected representatives is scheduled prior to the Mountain/Desert Committee on September 19, 2008.

It was requested by Council Member Mike Rothschild of the City of Victorville, that prior to the adoption of the SANBAG Measure I 2010-2040 Strategic Plan the Mountain/Desert Committee approve the attached project priority list. The projects included in Attachment A are listed in alphabetical order.

These priority projects were approved by the Victor Valley City/Town Councils and the County Board of Supervisors. The projects from the list to ultimately receive Measure I funding will be based on Victor Valley Subarea recommendation and approval by the Mountain/Desert Committee and the SANBAG Board.

Therefore, staff requests that the Mountain/Desert Committee approve the list, included as Attachment A, with the realization that this action does not commit SANBAG to funding any specific set of these projects. The Measure I funding plan for any of these projects will be determined through completion of a financially feasible Victor Valley Subarea Strategic Plan document that will be incorporated into the overall SANBAG Measure I 2010-2040 Strategic Plan.

Financial Impact: This action has no financial impact on SANBAG. A funding plan will be developed separately and incorporated into the SANBAG Measure I 2010-2040 Measure I Strategic Plan upon recommendation by the Victor Valley subarea and approval by the Mountain/Desert Committee and the SANBAG Board. Task Number 94109000 funding source Mountain/Desert Measure I funding.

Reviewed By: This item is scheduled to be reviewed by the Mountain/Desert Committee at its September 19, 2008 meeting.

Responsible Staff: Michelle Kirkhoff, Director of Air Quality/Mobility Programs

Attachment A – Victor Valley MLHP Measure I Priority Projects, by Jurisdiction

Note these projects are not in any priority order – each is followed by nominating Agency

El Mirage Road 2 lanes with center turn lane (US-395 to Koala Rd)	Adelanto
Colusa Road 2 lanes (Adelanto Rd to Helendale Rd)	Adelanto
Adelanto Road 2 lanes (Colusa Rd to US-395)	Adelanto
US-395 widen 2 to 4 lanes (Palmdale Rd to Bartlett Ave)	Adelanto
SR-18 widen 2 to 4 lanes (US-395 to Baldy Mesa Rd)	Adelanto
High Desert Corridor - East of US-395, R/W	Adelanto, Apple Valley, County, Victorville
Yucca Loma Bridge & widen Yucca Loma Rd to Apple Valley Rd)	Apple Valley
Yucca Loma Rd widen Apple Valley Rd to SR-18	Apple Valley
Apple Valley Rd / SR-18 Realignment *	Apple Valley
Deep Creek Rd- Bear Valley Road to Tussing Ranch Road	Apple Valley
Central Rd- SR 18 to Tussing Ranch Road	Apple Valley
SR-18 widen 4 to 6 lanes - Apple Valley Rd to Tao Rd	Apple Valley
Yates Rd (portion of Yucca Loma Bridge project)	County
Rock Springs Rd widen to 4 lanes (Hesperia CL to Deep Creek)	County
Helendale Rd - construct 2 lanes	County
Summit Valley - realign and widen to 4 lanes	County
Phelan Road - widen to 4 lanes from Sheep Creek to SR 138	County
Vista Road Grade Separation Silverlakes	County
I-15 (project development)	County
SR-18 continuous turn lane Lucerne Valley 2 miles	County
High Desert Corridor - West of US-395, Project Development	County
Rock Springs Rd Bridge at Mojave River	County, Hesperia
Ranchero Corridor (5 mi. 7th to Mariposa)	County, Hesperia
Ranchero	Hesperia
Joshua / Muscatel	Hesperia
Eucalyptus	Hesperia
SR-138 widen 2 to 4 lanes (project development)	Hesperia
Mojave / Smoketree	Victorville
Bear Valley (pending re-evaluation of system after other corridors)	Victorville
La Mesa / Nisqualli (Constr.)	Victorville
High Desert Corridor	Victorville
Green Tree Extension (Hesperia Rd to Yates Rd)	Victorville